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Frank Pozniak
Executive Director
State 911 Department
1380 Bay Street, Building C
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Re: D.T.C. 14-3: Petition of the State 911 Department for Adjustment of the Enhanced 911 Surcharge

Dear Executive Director Pozniak:

The Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department") has received your above-captioned petition of September 12, 2014, and docketed the matter as D.T.C. 14-3. My name is Lindsay DeRoche, and I am the Department's Hearing Officer assigned to this petition. Going forward, please ensure that all correspondence regarding this matter contains a heading with the case docket number D.T.C. 14-3, and that a copy of the same is forwarded directly to my attention.

As noted by the State 911 Department ("911 Department") in its petition. The Department has ninety (90) days to issue a final ruling on this petition, or the 911 Department may presume the petition has been granted.

In light of the limited period in which the Department must conduct its review, it has set October 23, 2014, as the date for a public and evidentiary hearing of this petition.

Enclosed you will find a Service List, a Department Order of Notice requiring the 911 Department to issue a notice of public hearing, as well as the text of the notice of public hearing ("Hearing Notice") which must be published in the *Boston Globe* no later than October 8, 2014. The Hearing Notice also sets forth the deadline for intervention in this proceeding. Due to the strict time deadline in this proceeding, the Department will issue information requests on a

rolling basis throughout its review. Unless otherwise instructed by the Department, all information requests should be answered as soon as possible, but no later than ten (10) calendar days after receipt.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 368-1112.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Lindsay DeRoche
Lindsay E. DeRoche
Hearing Officer

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